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A Teller Commits Suicide.

Frank Kowalski, for five years paying teller of the Milwaukee Avenue State bank in Chicago, which failed last Monday, shot and killed himself last night. Criticism by neighbors and friends, who secused him of a share in the downfall of the bank, is believed to have driven Kowalski to suicide.

The same of his trouble was reached Toursday night, when a woman he had known for years accosted him on the street and accused him of being responsible for the failure of the bank. ing of the incident later in the evening, Kowslski complained bitterly of the suspicions of his triends, and declared that unless his charcter was speedly cleared be would take his own life.

Kowalski's relatives asserted their firm belief that he was innocent of any knowledge as to the mismanagement of the bank by President Stensland. When the bank tailed Kowalski had \$700 of his own money on deposit in the in-stitution, and his immediate relatives had in the bank nearly \$50,000. Kowal-ki, who was 30 years old, had been with the bank for 13 years, beginning

as office boy.

After an all-day search forged notes aggregating more than \$500,000 were ound, and are now in the possession of

the State's Attorney.
It is said that when a final adjustment of the affairs of the bank is made it will be found that President Stensland's alleged defalcations will aggregate nearly

After eight hours of searching questions, Cashier Hering was taken to a hotel Thursday night in the custody of detectives. The most sensational dis-covery was the turning up by Hering of a private ledger kept by President Stens-land, in which was concealed \$191,000 of savings bank deposits. This account was kept a secret; was never included as a liability of the bank, and was never so reported to the State auditor.

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Explosion on Torpedo Boat.

terrible explosion of gasoline curred aboard the torpedo_boat Worden at Portsmouth, Va., yesterday atternoon, seriously, and perhaps fatally, injuring wo workmen and a boy helper, and slightly burning another.
Riveters were at work in the forward

anchor chain tank of the Worden, which is undergoining repairs in drydock at the navy yard. Nearby was a 30-gallon gasoline torge. Drippings from this had fallen to the double bottom of the torpedo boat and mingled with the bilge water and paint floating there. When the boy he per dropped a red-bot rivet upon this inflammable material there was a blinding flash, which enveloped the men cooped in the narrow confines of the chain tank, burning them severely, and the next instant the flames communicated

to the gasoline forge.

The 30-gallon tank exploded with ter rific force, hurling the unfortunate workmen against the side of the tank and cov-ering them with the zing gasoline. The crew of the Worden rushed to their assistance, and in an unconscious coudition they were taken out of the tank and the surgeon from the yard dispensary attended them on deck. The men were so badly burned as to be almost unrecognizable. Their clothing were burned from their bodies, and their hands, faces, arms and backs were characteristics. red. Up to the present none of the vic-tims has died, but their recovery is despaired of.

Searching for Abducted Child. For more than a year Charles Lock hart, a wealthy young business man of Richmond, has searched the country for his abducted baby and has spent more thad \$30,000 in the search. Mr. Lock-hart stopped in Washington last evening for a few hours' rest before leaving for the South to pursue a new clew. Ruth

Lockbart, when three years old, was ab-ducted from her parents' home, at 705 west Canal street, Richmond, on July 18, 1905. Her mother died of grief two mouths afterward. Since that time Mr. Lockhart, who inherited a fortune from his uncle, Charles Lockhart, a Pittaburg multi-millionaire, has devoted his entire time to the search of his child. He offered a reward of \$1,000, which he has now raised to \$5,000, for her return. He has received thousands of letters

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